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[Despatch Abstract]

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Junior Certificated School Bellas

Profits Supply to record

Carnbby during the Cold

weather Sanctioned

HOME DEPT.

Memo No. 857G-1. dated 30. 1. 37

Children Act--Certified Schools--Extra blanket to pupils during cold months.

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Under rule 379(2) Jail Manual Part II, an extra blanket is issued during the cold months to 'C' class prisoners. Similar provision exists in the case of Borstal inmates- vide Note(2) Rule 39 of the Rules under the Borstal Act. [redacted]. The C.I. of Certified Schools is requested to state whether it is necessary to supply an extra blanket to pupils in certified Schools during cold season. If so, he is requested to state the extra expenditure that will be necessary in the event of the extra blanket being supplied. If an extra blanket is not necessary in the case of pupils of certified schools it the question whether it is necessary in Borstal Schools & Jails arises & also be examined

To the C.I. of Certified Schools

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Jail DEPARTMENT.

In reply, please quote number, date and short title.*

Received *Registered* 04115G 6/2.

From (Name) Lieut.-Col.S.C.Contractor, M.B., I.M.S.,

(Designation) Chief Inspector of Certified Schools,

Post Box ____, (Station) Madras. ____;

Telegraphic Address ____

To

The Secretary to Government,
Home Department, Madras.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
5 - FEB 1939
HOME DEPT.

No. 3708B3/39, *dated* 3rd February 1939.

Sir,

* Subject:-Bedding of pupils - Certified Schools - Issue of Extra blanket during cold months.

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Refce:-Govt. Memo.No.857 G.1 Home, dated 30-1-1939.

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The question of supplying an extra blanket to the pupils of Certified Schools is already engaging my attention. I consider it necessary that pupils in Certified Schools should also be given a second cumbly during the cold weather. In all about 900* cumblies will be required at a cost of Rupees Rs.2193-12-0 or at Rs.2-7-0 each. The life of the second cumbly can be safely fixed at four years. Before I could recommend this proposal, I am examining whether it would be feasible to issue a cotton bed sheet in lieu of a blanket to all prisoners, Borstal inmates and Certified School pupils. In this connection please see my letter, Roc.No.2311-B.3/38 dated 25th September 1938. Therefore, the question of issuing a second blanket to Certified Schools may be kept in abeyance till my further report regarding the issue of a cotton bed sheet instead of a woollen blanket.

*Senior Certified School, Cuddalore.	450
Junior Certified School, Ranipet.	100
Bellary.	350
	900

Lieut.Col. I.M.S.,
Chief Inspector of Certified Schools.

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T.M

Home Deptt

From

The Under Secy to Govt,
Home Deptt

To

The C.I. of Certified Schools

Sub: Certified Schools - Pupils -
Extra blanket - Issue of

Ref: Your letter No. 370/B3/39 dt 3/2/39

Please refer to the last sentence of your letter cited above wherein you have suggested that the question of issuing an extra blanket to the pupils in the Certified Schools might be kept in abeyance till your further report regarding the issue of Cotton bed sheets instead of woollen blanket. It is however observed that the proposals submitted with your letter No. 2311-B3/39 dt 13th July '39 relate only to Jails and Borstal Schools. Please say whether you intend to submit separate proposals in the case of Certified Schools

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And if so, when they may be expected.

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JAIL DEPARTMENT.

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Subject.

BEDDING of Pupils - Certified Schools - Issue of extra blanket during cold weather

p2 ante Refce:-Correspondence resting with my letter Roc.No.370/B3/39 dated 3-2-1939.

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Roc. No. 370/B. 3/39.

Station MADRAS. *Dated the* 12th August 1939. 19

From (Name) Lieut.-Col.S.C.Contractor, M.B., I.M.S.,
(Designation) Ch. Inspector of Certd. Schools,

To The Secretary to the Government of Madras,
HOME Department.

Sir,

Please see the proposal submitted in my letter Roc.No.2311/B.3/38 dated 13-7-39 in respect of jails and Borstal Schools regarding the replacement of cumblies by cotton bed sheets. I am of the opinion that the same proposal should be applied to the Certified Schools also. At present one cumbly is being issued to the pupils of Certified Schools throughout the year. The life of the cumbly is fixed at 2 years. The daily average population of three Certified Schools during the year 1938 was 1034*. At present the strength of the Schools is steadily on the increase. The cost of cumblies required for

*Chingleput 474.02
Ranipet 182.12
Bellary 377.43
or 1033.57
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issue to these 1034 pupils amounts to Rs.2520/- @ Rs.2-7-0 per cumbly. The average cost per annum will be half of Rs.2520/- or Rs.1260/-. It is proposed to supply two cotton bed sheets at a cost of Rs.1-5-0 each once in three years instead of a cumbly once in 2 years. The cost of supplying 1034 pupils with 2 cotton bed sheets will amount to Rs.2714/- at Rs.1-5-0 per sheet for every three years. The cost per annum will be one-third of Rs.2714/- or Rs.905/-. Therefore the net saving will be Rs.1260/- minus 905/- or Rs.355/- per annum. The cumblies now issued to the pupils can be withdrawn and kept in stock for issue in cold weather. Though there is no immediate extra expenditure to Government in regard to the issue of extra blanket to the pupils, the proposal to issue cotton bed sheets will be an extra expenditure and this amounts to Rs.905/- per annum as per particulars furnished above. In the circumstances, my proposal contained in my letter Roc.No.2311/B.3/38 dated 13-7-39 may be extended to Certified Schools also.

Lieut.-Col. I.M.S.,
Ch. Inspe. of Certified Schools.

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Government of Madras.

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Abstract.

Jails - prisoners - Bedding - Substitution of cotton bed sheets for cumblies - Introduction in the Central Jail, Trichinopoly - Sanctioned as an experimental measure.

Home Department.

G. O. No. Ms. 6360 Dated 9th December 1939.

Read the following:-

Original (F)

From the Inspector General of Prisons, No.2311-1/B/38 dated 28th September 1938, 1st May 1939, 13th July 1939 and 4th November 1939.

O R D E R:

The Inspector General of prisons has proposed that prisoners confined in jails and subsidiary jails (except in certain districts) and inmates of Borstal Schools should be supplied with two cotton bed sheets, to last for three years, in lieu of a cumbly which is raw supplied once in two years. It is his intention that the present practice of issuing a cumbly during the cold months under rule 379(2) of part I of Volume II of the Madras Prison and Reformatory Manual should be continued. The Government have considered the proposal. They direct that the scheme should first be tried in the Central Jail Trichinopoly. The Inspector General is requested to submit a report to the Government at the end of three years as to the success or otherwise of the experiment, with special reference to its financial aspect.

2. The Cotton bed sheets should be woven at the Central Jail, Trichinopoly with yarn manufactured and dyed at the Central Jail, Coimbatore. A sufficient number of cotton bed sheets should be manufactured in the Central Jail, Trichinopoly, for all its prisoners. The cumblies withdrawn after issue of sheets

of sheets should be added to the stock for use in the cold months unless they can be transferred to other jails to replace wastage.

(By Order of His Excellency the Governor)

A.R.MacEwen,
Secretary to Government.

To

The Inspector General of prisons(with encls.)
The Accountant General(through Finance)
The Finance Department.
~~The Home Secretariat.~~
Home (G.) Secte

(True Copy)
Forwarded/By Order/

Superintendent.

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C.F. 32.

In reply, please quote number, date and short title.*

Jail DEPARTMENT. 881 G

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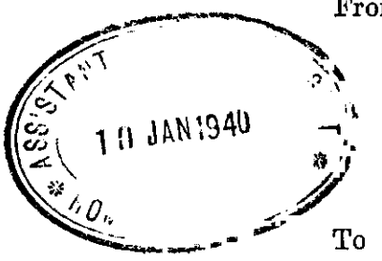

From (Name) Lieut.-Col.S.C.Contractor, M.D., I.M.S.,
(Designation) Inspector-General of Prisons, and Ch. Inspr. of Certd. Schools,
Post Box ____, (Station) Madras.
Telegraphic Address ____

To

The Secretary to Government,
Home Department, Madras.

Roc. *No.* 370/B3/39, *dated* 8th January 1940.

Sir,

* Sub:- Clothing and bedding - Pupils in Certified Schools - Issue of Second Cumbly during cold weather - Proposal - submitted.

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I invite your attention to my letter Roc.No. 370/B.3/39 dated 12-8-39, and G.O.No.Ms.6360 Home Department dated 9-12-39. As Government have since sanctioned as an experimental measure the issue of two cotton bedsheets for a period of three years to the prisoners in the Central Jail, Trichinopoly, the question of issuing a second blanket to the pupils in the Certified Schools during the cold weather may please be taken up now and orders passed.

The daily average population of the three schools for the year 1939 is about 1156 and therefore about 1200 cumblies will be required now. The cost will be about Rs.3000/- The life of these cumblies cannot be fixed for they cannot be stored without deterioration for more than two years. But if the cumblies retain their condition they are invariably used for longer periods than 2 years in Jails. Actually they are renewed when they are completely worn out, of course after a period of two

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years. The same conditions may be expected in Certified Schools also. I request that Government will be pleased to sanction the issue of second cumbly during cold weather to the pupils of Certified Schools.

Lieut.-Col. I.M.S.,
Ch. Inspr. of Certd. Schools.

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Extract from the file re: Senior Certified School, Chingleput - Inspection of the - ~~for the year 1938~~ - Questionnaire regarding xgeneral admn. medical and sanitary -

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Q. 11(2) "Prescribed extra blanket": Where is it prescribed? Does the question need amendment?

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Under rule 379(2) ~~Jail Manual Part II~~ of the Prisons Reformatory Vol II, Part I, an extra blanket is issued during the cold months to "C" class prisoners. Similar provision exists in the case of Borstal Inmates - vide Note (2) Rule 39 of the rules under the Borstal Act. No such provision exists in the rules under the Children Act. Question 11(2) of the Questionnaire prescribed for Inspection of Certified Schools may be deleted. Necessary extracts from this file will be taken and an amendment issued to the Questionnaire of Certified Schools; or question of bringing Certified Schools into line with Jail and Borstal Schools examined.

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For orders whether the papers may be recorded.

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With reference to 'A' above, the following may be noted.

The question now for consideration is ~~that~~ whether an extra blanket may be issued to pupils in certified schools during the cold months, as is done in the case of 'C' class prisoners in Jails and the inmates of Borstal Schools.

Attention is in this connection invited to the Hon. P.M.'s minute in connection with the

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proposed supply of pillows to pupils in certified schools, extracted below:

'Pillows may be omitted. They have generally articles of clothing and bedding which are not in use and which serve as pillows. We need not spoil these young hopefuls'

p.54 of G.O. 4098 (C. Ag't)

An extra blanket does not seem to be a necessity. The proposal would involve extra cost to Govt. It is for orders whether the C.I. may be consulted regarding the necessity for an extra blanket and the cost involved. A draft memo is submitted for approval.

The question of pillows obviously quite different.

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(Issued as Memo No. 857 G-1 dt 30/1/39) p1 cf

(From the C.I. of Certified Schools No. 370/33/39 dt 3/2/39) p2 cf

Please see the memo at p1 cf and the C.I.'s reply thereto at p2 cf. In the circumstances stated ~~the proposal in this file (viz) of issuing a second blanket to the boys in Certified Schools may be kept in abeyance till his further report regarding the issue of a cotton knitted sheet instead of a woollen blanket, is received by Govt.~~ this may lie over till the C.I's further report is received

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From 'C' on 7/4 Mungpoo

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Please see the I. G's proposals ~~re~~ re the issue of a cotton bed sheet instead of a woollen blanket to the prisoners in jails and inmates of Borstal Schools at pp 10-13 of the top file and the office note on pp 6-13 of the star file. With regard to paras 1 & 3 of the Secy's note on p 10 of the top file, it has been proposed to call for certain further information regarding the proposals. This may lie over till the C.I's reply is received

pp 10-13 of J.0.6360 (F) 9.12.39

pp 35-42 (F).

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~~p 13 of the top file~~

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Please see the memo and the I. G's reply thereto at pp 16-17 & 18-21 of respectively of the top file. The I. G's proposal is examined at pp 12-14 of the top file. This may lie over till a decision is reached in the star file.

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(T.M. to the C.I. dated 10-8-39)
(From the C.I. of Certified Schools, No.370/B3/39, dated 12-8-39).

Please see the C.I's letter at pages 5-6 cf. In the circumstances stated therein he has ~~proposed~~ suggested that his general proposal regarding the replacement of cumblies by cotton bed sheets in certain jails and Borstal schools may be extended to the certified schools also.

2. The main proposal referred to by the C.I. is separately under consideration; ~~and~~ the file was sent to the Finance department for remarks on 17-8-39. In that file, the Secretary has proposed, subject to any remarks that Finance wish to offer, to get orders on the general proposal and to have details worked out more fully before getting to the stage of proposing it as a Part II Scheme. He has also noted that only a few D.Ms have been consulted and that if the idea of extending the scheme to the subjails is accepted, all D.Ms will have to be consulted and detailed reports obtained.

3. The original proposal was to continue the existing supply of one blanket throughout the year and ~~the~~ to supply ~~of~~ an extra blanket during cold weather. The C.I. now proposes that two cotton bed sheets may be supplied throughout the year instead of one cumbly. He states that the cumblies now issued to pupils can be withdrawn and kept in stock for issue in cold weather; the idea is apparently that 2 cotton bed sheets should be given throughout the year, to be renewed once in three years, and one cumbly should be issued only during cold weather.

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4/ The financial effect of the proposal is as follows according to the C.I.

Cost per annum of supply of 2 cotton bed sheets once in 3 years ... Rs. $\frac{2\text{-}10\text{-}0 \times 1034}{3}$

= Rs.905

Present cost of supply of 1 cumbly each once in two years ... Rs. $\frac{2\text{-}7\text{-}0 \times 1034}{2}$

= Rs.1260

Savings ... = Rs.+355.

In the calculation of extra cost, the C.I. has taken into account only the extra cost on account of the bedsheets, viz. Rs.905 p.a. He has not taken into account the cost of renewal of the cumblies (which he proposes to withdraw and keep in stock) after the present stock gets unfit for use. The present life of a cumbly is given as 2 years. But if a cumbly is given only during the cold weather, its life will apparently be longer, and the extra cost will have to be calculated on that basis. It is for orders whether the proposal in this case may be dealt with independently of the proposal in regard to Jails and Borstal schools. If so, the C.I. may be requested u.o. to furnish information with reference to 'A' above.

SM 24/8 This file may continue to be dealt with separately for the present — (the present scale of supply in certified schools is different from that in Jails & B. Schools, & therefore the financial effect of the new proposal as applied to Certified Schools is different from its financial effect as applied to Jails & B. Schools.) The information at A above may be obtained. JSR 17/9 S

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Please see the orders on p 5 ante

A draft n.o. note is submitted for approval.

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Home Dept

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G.O. Noted No. 857 G-2 Ds 25/3/39

Children Act – Certified Schools – Pupils – Extra blanket during cold months – Issue of

Ref: Correspondence ending with the C.I's letter No. 370/13.3/39 Ds 12/8/38

In the circumstances stated in his letter cited above, the C.I. has ~~proposed~~ suggested that his general proposal regarding the replacement of Cumblies by Cotton bed sheets in certain jails and Borstal Schools may be extended to the certified schools also

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	Rs
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Present cost of supply of 1 cumbly each once in two yrs	1260
Savings	Rs +355

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the present stock gets unfit for use. The present life of a cumbly is given as 2 yrs. But if a cumbly is given only during the cold weather, its life will apparently be longer and the extra cost will have to be calculated on that basis. The C.I. may be requested to furnish a revised estimate of the extra cost of this proposal ~~in the light~~ ~~of the remarks made above~~. reference to the cost of renewal of cumblies

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MADRAS JAIL DEPARTMENT.

U.O. Note No. 2311/B3/38, dated 6th October 1939.

SUB: Children Act - Certified Schools - Pupils - Extra blanket during cold months.- Issue of.

REF: .Home Department U.O.Note No.857 G-2, dated 21st September 1939.

The original proposal was to issue an extra blanket to the pupils in Certified Schools during the cold weather. If this proposal is given effect to, the extra expenditure to Government will be about Rs.2,520/- every two years. But in lieu of this proposal, I suggested that the present issue of cumblies can be restricted to only cold weather without any extra cost to Government and cotton bed sheets issued throughout the year at an extra cost of Rs.905/- per annum and had the estimate worked out accordingly. The cost of renewal of cumblies was not taken into account for the main reason that this item of expenditure is the usual one and cannot be called as extra expenditure. What can be called as an extra expenditure is the cost of the cotton bed sheets proposed to be issued in addition to the cumblies now issued but proposed to be restricted only to cold weather. Further cumblies even without use cannot be stored without deterioration for more than two years and for that matter no period of wear can be fixed for those used during cold weather only Sometimes, if the cumblies retain their condition, they are used for longer period than two years. Actually they are renewed whenever they wear out completely of course after a period of two years. Therefore it will be seen that what can be called extra expenditure to Government is the cost of the cotton bed sheets. The present issue of cumblies will be restricted only to cold weather and renewed after a period of two years as usual and therefore there is no

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extra expenditure on this account to Government.

Lieut-Col.,I.M.S.,
Inspector-General of Prisons.

To

The Secretary to Government,

Home Department,

Fort St. George, Madras.

Tss/7.10. -------

Home Deptt.

Please see the U.O note to the C.I. on pages 7-8 above and the C.I's reply on pages 9 to above. The C.I. is not clear as to what ~~will be~~ the life of a cumbly used only during cold weather will be. He presumably took it at two years. He, however, estimated, in his letter at page 2 C F that the life of a ~~second cumbly might~~ be taken as four years. Assuming that the life of a cumbly will be two years, the cost is Rs 1260/- per annum.

2. The C.I says that he did not take into account the cost of cumblies as the only additional item is bedsheets. Information as to extra cost was called for because the C.I. estimated the result of his proposal as a net saving of Rs 355/- per annum. The C.I. now says that the extra cost may be taken as Rs 905/- per annum.

3 The scheme will have to be treated as a part II scheme. It is for consideration whether this scheme will be considered.

to be of imperative and immediate necessity. If so, it may be sent to the Fin dept for remarks.

Rs 10.10.39 What we want to know is

(a) Existing scale — cost.
(b) Proposed scale — cost
Extra cost (b) - (a).

What is it?

Can Secy. state who can

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Please see the statement below:-

(a) Existing scale. — Cost in Rs.

One cumbly once in two years for use throughout the year. — 1260 per annum.

(b). Proposed scale.

(1) One cumbly once in two years (Same as at present) to be issued only during cold weather. — 1260 per annum.

(2) Two New cotton bedsheets to be issued once in 3 years. — 90.5 per annum

Total 2165. per annum.

(c) Extra cost (b) - (a) - Rs 905 per annum. since altered

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MM 11/10 The D.G. has worked out the extra cost at the rate of Rs 1-5- per bedsheet. In connection with his proposal to replace the cumblies supplied to prisoners by cotton bedsheets, he referred to two kinds of bedsheets viz, (1) at the rate of,

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Rs 1-5- per sheet & (2) at the rate of Rs 1-14- per sheet the former is woven from yarn ~~made~~ manufactured and dyed outside the Coir Deptt and the latter is woven with yarn manufactured and dyed in the C-Coir Industries Finance have suggested the supply of the latter kind of bedsheet A decision has not yet been reached on the point the D.G has been asked to send a copy of his correspondence with the Textile expert on the life of the cotton sheets

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pp 11.10.57. A above. This may be awaited

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The correspondence referred to at A above has been received and is at pages 51-53 C.F. in the top file. The life of the bed sheet recommended is two years and cost is Rs 1/57- per sheet.

2. The statement on page 12 above is worked out on the assumption that both the life of a cotton bedsheet is 3 yrs & the life is to be computed as two years, the extra cost of the proposal will be Rs 1,35~~7~~ 1,80 p.a. roughly. ~~If~~ If two more costing Rs 1-14 each are selected, the extra cost will be Rs 1938-12 p.a.

The Principal Govt Textile Institute, Madras, has recommended that bedsheets costing Rs 1-5 each ~~should~~ be used be

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2314 1/4 x 1/2 = 135-)-2

Rs 17.10.57

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with most economical.

For orders wherein the result of the decisions on the listed file regarding the kind of bedsheets to be purchased should be awaited.

X in the previous para The view of the C.I. (I.G.) apparently is that though the life of a bedsheet used singly is only two years, the life of two bedsheets issued together to a single prisoner may be put at 3 years. (para 1 on Pt. 10 & 11 c.f. top file) 32. (F)

This file will have to await the decisions in the top[x] file. 19/10 S

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Pt. 19.10.39.

x awaited

{From C. Section, G.O. no 6360 Homed 9.12.39} Pt) 2 C.F.

HOME DEPARTMENT

Under rule 26-A of the rules under the Children Act, each pupil of a certified school is entitled to the supply of one cumbly once in two years for daily use. There is no provision for the supply to him of a second cumbly for use during cold weather although such provision exists in the case of a C-class prisoner in a jail or an inmate of a borstal school. This file deals with the question of supply of a second cumbly to him for use during the cold weather and the substitution of two bed sheets for one cumbly given throughout the year (supplied once in two years).

2. The question was raised in another file whether the normal supply of one cumbly every two years in the case of prisoners and borstal school inmates may not be replaced by the supply of two cotton bed sheets once in three years, the second cumbly in the cold weather being continued. It has been decided that the change should be tried in the Central Jail, Trichinopoly, for a period of three years and its introduction in other places being considered thereafter. The question whether a similar change would be necessary in the case of the supply of cumblies in certified schools has to be taken up now.

3. The extra cost is shown in the statement on page 12 ante. For orders whether the proposal will be approved. Finance may be asked to say whether this should be treated as a part II Scheme, or whether in view of the small cost, the proposal may be sanctioned.

An alternative is merely to extend to the certified schools the existing practice in all Borstal schools and Jails (except, now Trichinopoly,) of issuing a second cumbly

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in the 'cold' weather. The I.G. thinks this necessary (A on p.2 C.F.) and puts its cost at Rs.2193-12-0 as outlay on cumblies which will last four years, the annual cost therefore being $\frac{2193\text{-}12\text{-}0}{4}$ = Rs.548-7-0. As the amount is small, and as this would be merely an extension to certified schools of what is found necessary in Borstal schools and jails, it would seem unnecessary to treat the expenditure as a Part II scheme for next year.

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(Office have now drawn my attention to the I.G's later ~~remarks~~ at A & D on p 9 ante re the 'life' of cumblies. If their life is put at 2 years, the extra cost is ~~Rs~~ $\frac{2520}{2}$ Rs 1260 per annum.)

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+ Figure revised to Rs 1500 ($\frac{3000}{2}$)

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The Trichy Agreement (p.62 of Ⓕ) is for 3 years. Meanwhile, I think we should agree with p.2 C.F. (which was only deferred because Ⓕ was on the topis) and let the cert. schools have a second (cold weather) blanket. It is certainly necessary in Bellary, and Bhimsepet and Ranipet would be none the worse of it. Finance should see the general proposal: they might also please advise us on A-A above.

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Finance.

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
01 JAN 1940
FINANCE DEPT.

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Home Depn

CNo. 681 of 39 From the C.I. of Certified Schools No. 370/133/39 Dt 8/1/40

Children Act = Certified Schools - Pupils - Extra ~~Blankets~~ Clothing during Cold weather - Issue of

Please see the C.I's lr. in f. the question of issuing an extra ~~blanket~~ Clothing during the Cold weather to each pupil in the Certified Schools has already been taken up for consideration by Govt and the main file is now in Finance the Current below may be ~~added to said file when it returns to this depn.~~ continued with reference to the estimate sent in at A on f. 9/C.F

(Finance concurred)

(Sent to Fin for 6/1)

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Finance (Exp.)

The question for consideration in this file is the supply of an extra cumbly to the inmates of the Certified Schools during cold months.

C class prisoners in jails and inmates of Borstal Schools are now supplied with an extra cumbly during cold months under the provisions in the Jail Manual and the rules framed under the Borstal Act. The I.G. of Prisons had separately raised the question of of substituting cotton bed sheets for cumblies in jails and Borstal Schools and on a reference made to him he stated that this proposal might be extended to the Certified schools also. Hence the proposal to supply an extra cumbly to the pupils of Certified schools during cold months was held over pending a decision of the Govt on A above. The Government have since passed orders on A above, sanctioning the proposal of the I.G. to substitute cotton bed sheets for cumblies as an experimental measure for a period of three years in the Trichinopoly jail alone - G.O. 6360 Home dated 9-12-39. The proposal for the supply of a second cumbly to the pupils of Certified schools during the cold season has now been renewed.

2. The Inspector-General has reported that the average number of inmates in the Certified schools during 1939 was about 1156 and that 1200 cumblies will therefore be required. A cumbly is reported to cost Rs 2-7-0 and for 1200 cumblies the cost is estimated by the I.G. roundly at Rs 3,000. The I.G. says that the life of thes cumblies cannot be fixed as they cannot be stored withou deterioration for more than 2 years. He says that they are renewed only after they are completely worn out after a period of 2 years. The difficulty of the I.G. to fix the life of these cumblies is explained at B on page 9 ante ~~probably due to the practice of not storing cumblies ~~probably due to the~~ supplied for cold seasons as distinct from those supplie~~

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~~for normal use throughout the year. However, in view~~ of the I.G's statement, the life of the cumbly may be taken as 2 years. The extra cost involved in the proposal will then be Rs 3,000 recurring every alternate year or Rs 1,500 ~~recurring~~ every year. The proposal will have to be treated as a Part II scheme for 1941-42, as expenditure of a recurring nature is involved and the cost is also appreciable.

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Please see the Finance Depts note above. With refce to 'A' above it may be noted that this dept considered it unnecessary to treat the expenditure as a 'Part II' scheme for next year as the amount involved is small & as the proposal would be merely an extension to Certified Schools of what is found necessary in Borstal Schools & jails. A scheme may be introduced in the financial year if it satisfies the criteria mentioned at (B) in the Finance U.O. note.

Forwarded whether this dept should press for the introduction of the scheme during the current financial year.

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It may be argued that if the 2nd cumbly is recognized as necessary for prisoners and Borstal School inmates, it should be recognized as necessary for certified school children. With reference to K in U.O. note 25663, the scheme may be regarded

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as essential for (proper) administration, and its postponement as inconvenient to the working of the department, which is required to keep certified school pupils in reasonable health and comfort.

I'm afraid H.S.'s point 3/2 fails in view of the fact that the children have been sitting on without this extra blanket for years. We need, I think, take this up as a Part II scheme in due course.

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Ldo. 8.

Not necessary for any certified school except Bellary where it can be chilly. If A1 space the proposal may be applied to this School only without waiving for a Part II scheme for 1941-42 Bellary ascertain cost before further circulation 4/2/40

HOME SECRETARY
5 FEB 1940
GOVT OF MADRAS

Please see A_3 S note on p 20 ante.

The strength of Junior Certified School, Bellary, on 13-1-1940 was 346. On this basis, 346 cumblies will be required at a cost of Rs 2-7-0 each. As the life of a Cumbly is taken as two years, the extra cost of proposal will be Rs 843-6-0 or Rs 850/- recurring every alternate year or Rs 425/- every year.

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Hdo. 3. Please see my note on page 20.

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Hdo. 1. Still agree Dr accepts the liability of Rs 425 a year

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HOME DEPARTMENT
7 FEB 1940
GOVT OF MADRAS

ASSISTANT SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
9 - FEB 1940
FINANCE DEPT.

A draft order is submitted for approval. Finance may see before issue.

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SUBJECT:— HOME DEPARTMENT.

Children Act - Junior Certified School, Bellary - Pupils - Supply of a second cumbly during the cold ~~months~~ weather - Sanctioned.

READ AGAIN _____, dated _____ 19____.

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READ *ALSO*:—

No. 857G / From the Memo to Schools C.I. of Certified / No. 857G-1, dated 30-1- 1939. p1 cf

" From " -"- " 3703 3/39 " 3-2- 1939. p2 cf

" " " -"- " " 12-8-1939. — p5 cf

" " " -"- " " 8-1- 1940. — p9 cf

Order / ~~Resolution~~ Ms. / ~~Route~~ No. 785, dated 15-2- 1940.

p2 & p9 cf

The Chief Inspector of Certified Schools proposes that pupils in certified Schools may be supplied with an extra cumbly during the cold weather on the analogy of the practice now obtaining in the case of C class prisoners in Jails and Borstal inmates. The Government consider that it is not necessary to supply a second cumbly to pupils of any certified school except the one at Bellary. They accordingly sanction the supply of a second cumbly during the cold months to the pupils in the Junior Certified School, Bellary, at a cost not exceeding Rs.425/- a year.

2. The Chief Inspector is requested to submit a draft amendment to the rules under

Rule 379(2) of Prison Manual, Vol II (pp 114-115 of Rx No. 37)

† Rule 39 of Borstal School Rules (p. 621 of Rx. No. 37)

A's note on p 20 ante

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A's order - p. 24 ante

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under the Madras Children Act,

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3 The extra expenditure, if any, in the current year should be met by re-appropriation from the provision under "28. a Jails and Convict Settlements - Jails - Subsidised Schools"

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To

The Chief Inspector of Certified Schools.

The Accountant-General, thro' the Finance Department.

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